White River Field Office Centennial Celebration on Public Lands Day



Fundraiser for the White River Museum, Meeker Colorado

The year 2006 is the Centennial for the Antiquities Act. The White River Field Office will celebrate the Centennial on Public Lands Day September 30, 2006 in conjunction with the Rio Blanco Historical Society, the White River Museum, and members of the Northern Ute Tribe. This event will be a fundraiser for the White River Museum with a street fair county-wide celebration. This celebration will have Tribal dancers and drummers, Tribal crafts and beadwork, a flute making workshop, demonstrations of Dutch oven cooking, tours of the museum by elders in the community, displays of local crafts and many more events that reflect the purpose of conserving and preserving cultural resources both historic and prehistoric. Vendors with products that reflect the use of Public Lands in the County historically will be on site. Food and drinks will be provided by Gary's Smokehouse for a nominal fee which will support the White River Museum.

For more information about Meeker, Colorado and the Meeker Museum please visit the following web page: http://www.meekercolorado.com/museum.htm

For More information about the National Public Lands Day please visit the following web page: http://www.npld.com/

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